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SUBJECT: TCDD CONTROL TOWER DISPLAYS

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1. TEST DATA REQUEST FOR TCDD BITE PREMATURE. HOWEVER, PRELIMINARY TESTING HAS RESULTED IN A HIGH DEGREE OF CONFIDENCE THAT TCDD WILL PROVIDE IMPROVED DISPLAY SYSTEM FOR USE IN A CONTROL TOWER ENVIRONMENT. FINAL ACCEPTANCE TEST DATA WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE UNTIL TOTAL SYSTEM ACCEPTANCE TESTS ARE CONDUCTED ON SITE.

2. BASED ON PRELIMINARY TESTING, FAA AGREES THAT OPTION OFFE,-D IS DESIRABLE SUBSTITUTION FOR BRITE IV AND WOULD MOST LIKELY PROVIDE SATISFACTORY DISPLAY FOR SAUDI ARABIAN SYSTEM. HOWEVER, FAA MUST ALSO POINT OUT THAT MAGNAVOX IS UNDER CONTRACT TO PROVIDE TOWER CAB DIGITAL DISPLAY FOR FAA USE. FAA THEREFORE, IN NO POSITION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FAVORING ONE SYSTEM OVER THE OTHER. ROBINSON

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